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OPENING DAY OF THE LEGISLATURE

Many Bills Introduced in Both Houses—Birrell Hands in Three.

CHOICE FOR JUDGE.

Measures Introduced Providing For Appropriation for Monument to Stonewall Jackson.

Richmond, Va., Jan. 16.—The machinery of the General Assembly was perfected yesterday, when Speaker Cox announced the House committees. In both Senate and House bills poured in by the score, and when the committees hold their organization meetings, they will find papers on nearly every important matter of legislatinon to come before this session ready for their consideration.

Three elaborate primary bills went into the hopper yesterday, Delegate Hugh A.White offering a measure in the House, while Senators Paul and Gravatt presented bills on the subject of the Senate. Bills carrying out the amendments to the election laws recommended by the Pure Election Society of the Ninth District were offered in both houses. A series of bills recommended by the Virginia Press Association including a new libel law, were offered, as was the bill for the cordinate Woman's college at the University of Virginia, and a bill appropriating $20,000 toward the erection of an equestrian monument to Stonewall Jackson in Richmond.

Among members generally the matter most frequently discussed and apparentily of the greatest interest is the contest for the Supreme Court judgeship. There are wide differences of opinion. The candidates themselves are keeping a dignified silence, but their friends are at work in both houses. No date has been set for a joint caucus on this matter.

President pro tem Echols presided over a ten-minute session of the senate yesterday, adjournment being taken until 12 o'clock today after a number of bills had been introduced and referred to the proper committees.

The House session yesterday was brief, though the chair was vacated twice to allow time for completion of the list of committee assignments. The list was presented by Speaker Cox shortly after 3 o'clock, and in the main seemed to give great satisfaction.

Mr. Birrell was appointed on the committee on privileges and elections, claims and appropriations.

Among the bills introduced were the following by Mr. Birrell:

A bill to prohibit railway companies from operating freght trains in this state, consisting of more than fifty cars, and to provide for putting this action into operation.

A bill to compensate R. Gordon Finney, trial justice for Alexandria County, Va. for services rendered as such trial justice under the act of the General Assembly of Virginia, approved March 23, 1912.

A bill to amend and renact section 164 of the Code of Virginia of 1904, as amended by acts approved March 14, 1908, and March 17, 1910.

Funeral Halted.

Chicago, Jan. 16.—A belated appeal in an effort to save the white woman held captive by five negroes, yesterday halted the funeral of Mrs. Leona Crumes, aged 20, and inaugurated a rigid investigation by the coroner and detectives. It is believed the woman committed suicide when she realized the utter helplessness of her situation, although there are intimations that she was poisoned.

A physician was summoned by neighbors when she was dying, but his recommendation that she be taken to a hospital was vigorously fought by the negroes. Another doctor issued a death certificate, giving kidney disease as the cause. The husband of the woman is Lawrence Van Winkle, of Saratoga, Tex. She came here with her mother and her baby and search has been begun for them.

NEWS OF THE DAY

To prevent an attempt at suicide by Delilah Bradley, the pretty girl who eloped with Joel M. Foster, Brown Mills, N. J., constant watch was kept over her in Mobile yesterday. She was in a state of almost complete collapse during the night, alternately crying for her father or for Foster. The girl had been on the verge of nervous prostration for twenty-four hours before her arrest on a statutory charge, and she broke down when she was told that she might be sent to jail. She is being cared for at n sanitarium, with a nurse in constant attendance.

The situation in Albania is much more grave that is generally known or officially acknowledged by the European powers, according to authoritative information gathered in diplomatic circles yesterday. The various governments are directing all their efforts in order to prevent fresh outbreak of war in the Balkans. Tension is said to have reached such a point that Germany has proposed joint Austrian and Italian military intervention in Albania. The suggested intervention is the reason why Italy and Austria have recently concentrated their warships along the Albanian coast. Both nations, however, hesitate to follow German advice.

A Warsaw, Russian-Poland ,cable to the New York World says: "Mr. Schiebler, one of the greatest spinning mill owners of this district, was given three black pearls, valued at $60,000 by his wife as a birthday present. She placed them on a table beside his bed, in order that his finding them might be a surprise. Schiebler retired without noticing them. During the night he awoke with a headache, and in the darkness reached out for some of the antimagraine pills he always kept on the table. He too kthree and went back to sleep. In the morning Mrs. Schiebler asked her husband how he liked his gift. Then it was discovered that he had taken the pearls instead of the pills. It is feared that the gems have been dissolved by the gastric juices of the mill owner's stomach as no methow of throwing them off has been successful.

Three employes of New York city, gave Mayor Mitchell a surprise yesterday by applying for a reduction in salary. They were John R. Freeman, William H. Burr, and Alfred H. Noble, each a consulting engineer of the board of water supply. The engineers suggested that their salaries be fixed at $3,000 a year each, instead of $6,000 as at present. They explained that with the completion of the Catskill aqueduct the board needed their services not more than half the time they had previously devoted to city work, and they thought a reduction in compensation was proper. The board passed along their request to the board of estimates, with the suggestion that it be adopted.

A dispatch from San Francisco says the Northwestern Pacific steamer Tiburon ran ashore on the rocks near Fort McDowell, on Angel Island, shortly after 8 o'clock last night. She is crowded wth passengers and a dense fog covers the bay. Her captain communicated with shore, reporting her bottom undamaged and hope of floating her off at flood tide. The Fort Point life savers, the U. S. tug Golden Gate, and other craft have gone to her assistance.

Richard D. Lankford, vice-president and secretary of the Southern Railroad, was found dead from gas asphyxiation in his bachelor apartments in Brooklyn yesterday. The police at first said he had committed suicide, but the coroner's physician said that after careful investigation he had decided that death was accidental. Failure to establish a motive for suicide is mainly responsible ofr the emphatic assertion of his friends and Miss Nellie Patterson, a Brooklyn society girl whom he was to have married Saturday, that his death was accidental. Mr. Lankford was 46 years old.

Vandals despoiled the historic church of St. Anthony at Ferrara, Italy, early yesterday, pillaging the sanctuary. Priceless jewels from the tomb of Beatrice Este, a member of the illustrious Italian house of Este, were stolen, also an ancient statue of the Virgin Mary.

Norfolk Fried oysters at Rammel's Cafe.

PROVISIONS OF PRIMARY BILLS

Provide Compulsory Feature and All Parties Subject To it.

ACTS IN BOTH HOUSES.

No Party Polling Less Than Twenty Per Cent. Considered as a Political Organization.

Richmond, Va., Jan. 16.—The primary bill, a measure introduced by Hugh A. White, of Rockbridge, was introduced into the House of delegates yesterday and is considered one of the most important bills of the session. The bill provides a compulsory primary upon all political parties. No party polling less than 20 per cent of the votes is officially considered a political party under the primary law, may not have a candidate on the official ballots unless a petition signed by the requisite number of qualified voters has been filed with a State board of canvassers, also provided for.

The principal provisions are as follows:

1. Primary is compulsory upon political parties.

2. Nominations to apply to all elective officers, party committeemen, presidential electors, delegates to state or national conventions, except that the party may declare that in town and magisterial districts there need be no primary.

3. Provides for party organization, and how same shall be conducted.

4. Fixes a definite time for holding all primaries.

5. Notice of candidacy is to be given by nomination papers, certified by a certain number of qualified voters.

6. Provides for a "State primary board of canvassers," to take place of the General Assembly, which passes upon election of certain state officers. This board to consist of auditor, second auditor, register of land office, clerks of senate and house of delegates.

7. There must be a declaration of party affiliation, and recorded in registration books.

8. First and second choice votes is provided for, and thus majority vote required to nominate.

9. Persons aided in preparing their ballots to be noted on poll books, and also the officer who aided them.

10. All expenses of primary to be paid as in general election, and no fee to be required from candidates.

11. Contests to be decided by courts.

12. Nomination may be made by petition for others than those who belong to a "party."

13. A platform convention is required.

The Paul bill makes primary elections compulsory on all political parties, prescribes the day on which they shall be held and the methods of publicity; it takes the conduct of primaries from party committees and provides for their conduct by the proper legal authorities. Nomination of minor local officials by this method is prohibited, it being the object of the patron to encourage the selection of minor officials from a nonpartisan standpoint. Contests are to be determined by the courts, and party committees are made legally constituted bodies with clearly defined powers. Party platform conventions are provided for, the expense of candidates are limited, and provision is made for independent or nonpartisan nominations.

CHILDREN'S HOME OFFICERS.

The board of managers of the Children's Home met last night at the residence of Mrs. L. E. Uhler and elected the following officers: Mrs. Harry B. Caton, president; Mrs. Lycurgus E. Uhler, first vice-president; Mrs. Mary Walker, second vice-president; Mrs. Kate Waller Barrett, vice-president, at large; Mrs. J. H. Mansfield, secretary, and Carroll Pierce, treasurer.

Norfolk Fried oysters at Rammel's Cafe.

BLOWN TO ATOMS.

Fifty Pound Keg of Dynamite Explodes.

Richmond, Va., Jan. 16. — John Rowel, colored, an employe of the Callahan Construction Company, was blown to atoms at 8:50 o'clock yesterday morning when a 50 pound keg of dynamite exploded at a point on the Southern Railway about 200 yards south west of the Belle Isle bridge, where the construction company is engaged in excavation work for the Southern Railway.

Rowell arrived at work yesterday morning at the usual time, and, finding that the dynamite which was to be used in blasting, had been frozen over night, took the keg of explosive across the railroad tracks, and, sitting it down near the river banks, built a fire to thaw it out.

His attention was distracted from the fire for a moment or two in some way and the blaze got too near the dynamite.

Rowell was standing a few feet from the explosive when suddenly it exploded with a powerful detonation which was heard for miles distant. Rocks were thrown up high into the air in great quantity, while the earth, where the dynamite exploded, was torn into a massive hole.

So powerful was the concussion of in nearly every case the window glasses of the Manchester pumphouse, located about one hundred yards away, were shivered into bits, and in nearly every case the windod sashes were jarred completely out of their holdings. The building of the pumphouse looked like a cyclone had struck it.

The hole made by the dynamite going off was round and about ten feet in diameter and about six feet deep.

When other workmen, who fortunately, were a good distance away when the explosion occurred, ran to the scene of the explosion they could find not the slightest trace of Rowell, who was literally torn into atoms. A few pieces of the overalls that the unfortunate negro wore were picked up about fifty feet from the blast.

ADMITS DROWNING CHILDREN.

Tennessee Stepmother is Given 10 to 20 Year Sentence.

Union City, Ten., Jan. 16.—Mrs. Hennie Yates, charged with drowning her two small ste-children, pleaded guilty yesterday and was given an indeterminate prison sentence of from 10 to 20 years.

While berry hunting last summer Mrs. Yates was alleged to have induced her three stepchildren to go bathing in a creek, then to have seized two and held their heads under water until they drowned. The third stepchild, a small boy, escaped and gave the alarm.

Charges against Flory Ferris, Mrs. Yates' daughter by a former marriage, who was alleged to have aided her mother in the killing, were dismissed.

ANGRY HUSBAND KILLS THREE.

Wife Refused to go on Trip With him And he Shot Her, Her Mother And Himself.

Hamlet, N. C., Jan. 16.—Angered by the refusal of his wife to go on a trip with him, Will Simons killed her, her mother and himself, the triple tragedy occurring at the home of Mrs. John Calvin Wiggins, mother-in-law of Simons, about four miles south of this place Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock.

Reports from the community state that Simons, who married the daughter of Mrs. Wiggins about two months ago, and lived with his mother in-law decided yesterday that he was wanted a change of scene, told his wife to make ready to go with him and when she said she would not, got his shot gun. His wife fled from the house. Simons delayed just long enough to shoot his mother-in-law, killing her instantly. Then he followed his wife and shot her dead. Deliberately re-loading the double-barrelled gun, Simons took off his shoes and pulling the trigger with his toes, blew out his own brains.

Simons came here from Georgia a few years ago, but the Wiggins family were natives of this county.

Mr. J. W. McArtor, of Fredericksburg, was in Alexandria yesterday on business.

FEAR FROM THE FLOOD SUBSIDING

Bursting of Dams in West Virginia Did Not Cause Great Disaster.

LOSS ABOUT $250,000.

Many Persons, After Spending Night in Woods, Return to Find Houses Wrecked by Waters.

Piedmont, W. Va., Jan. 16.—Only the sparseness of settlement along the Stony river and along the Potomac town of Schell, W. Va., prevented a disaster when the second section of the West Virginia Pulp and Paper Company's reserve dam burst and sent millions of gallons of water in an unbridled rush into the Potomac valley. This was apparent today as the ruin littered and ice-capped Potomac flowed to this city receding, but still swollen to a level above flood stage.

Estimates of the property damage in the sweep of the flood ranked today from $25,000 to $350,00. Reports that a party of men were caught in the swirling waters at Shaw, Va., remained unconfirmed and they were practically discredited. The greatest damage occurred at Schell, where the Stony and the Potomac mee , and at Blaine, Harrison, Kitzmiller, and other small places on the Potomac between Schell and this city. Several houses and many minor structures were torn form their foundations, wrecked or carried away; many log booms were tor nfrom their moorings and bridges were washed away. Several bridges were dynamited.

Hundreds of persons who fled to the hills returned today after a night in rude shack sor about camp fires, many to find their homes torn from foundations and outbuildings [illegible].

BEACH EATEN AWAY.

Shift in Wind Halts Breakers in Work of Ruin.

San Francisco, Jan. 16.—A shift in the wind yesterday began to calm the breakers that for a week have been hurling themselves on Ocean Beach, below the Cliff House, until it is now almost recognizable.

The beach itself has vanished. The sea has eaten away the sands to the foot of the Ocean Boulevard and in places has begun to undermine the roadway.

Rains have aided the waves and the rock hewn road leading up to the Cliff House has in spots started to slide into the sea and in others has been partly blocked by slides of earth and rock from Sutro Heights above.

The concrete bulkhead protecting the three-story marine observatory opposite the life-saving station has been battered to bits and may collapse at any moment.

WOMAN BURNED TO DEATH.

Victim's Clothes Caught Fire When the Curtains Were Ignited By A Candle.

Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 16. — Her clothing ingnited by a candle which she had left in a window to light her nephew home, Mrs. Annie Magee, 80 years old, of No. 1337 Opal street, was burned beyond recognition in the kitchen of her home last night.

The aged woman kept house for her nephew, Policeman John Magee, of the 17th district, and was preparing his supper at the time of the tragedy.

For years it has been her custom to place a candle on a table near the window in the kitchen, which opens into the back yard. Her nephew always made a short cut home through the rear and by the light of the candle could pick his way in the yard. Last night the candle was placed too near the window and a curtain blew against its. When Mrs. Magee saw the curtain in flames she made an effort to tear it down. In doing so she set fire to her clothing with fatal results.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Carter Brothers have a high grade store and dwelling for rental at corner of Alfred and Franklin streets; an old established stand, desirable for any business. Call or phone Carter Brothers, 1023 King stret. 16 tf

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The Emerson Steam Pump Co., which has been running on short shift is planning for a busy season this year. Reorganization plans are being considered and orders received from contractors in various parts of the United states.

The Virginia Glass Company is doing a good business, being one of the local plants not affected by the general holiday season depression. Upwards of 125 hands are employed and large shipments of commercial bottles are being shipped to various points in the South.

Luther, son of Luther H. Thompson, broke his left arm in two places while playing in the Westminster building yesterday. His arm was set by Dr. T. M. Jones.

GLOOMY FORECAST.

Terrific Storms Predicted for Western Country This Year.

Santa Clara, Cal., Jan. 16.—"The spots on the sun not only forecast the seismic disturbances in Japan, but also indicate that tornadoes and cyclones will visit the middle western part of the United States during the last ten days of January. I predict that they will be very violent."

Father Ricard, S. J., astronomer and scientist of Santa Clara University, who on December 31, predicted the exact date of the volcanic eruption in Japan, made this statement in discussing his forecast.

I predicted on December 31: "There will be violent earthquakes in Japan in places where the greater seismic disturbances have occurred heretofore. South America, Japan and the islands of the sea will be visited.

"Hitherto I have not concerned myself much with such elemental upheavals, but my routine observations in connection with our forecasts each month convinced me of the imminence of this disaster. For a lon gtime we have been making monthly forecasts of general weather conditions.

"Like those forecasts my prediction of the earthquakes was based on close observation of the positions and movements of sun spots. I do not know yet what is in the connection between the sun spots and the terrestrial disturbances, but I know that connection exists.

"The Japanese earthquake occurred on exact date indicated by our calculations made before the end of the old year. The same observations indicated the imminency of violent storms in America late this month."

TRICHINOSIS FROM PORK.

Several Persons in North Caroline Victims of Rare Dsiease.

Thomasville, N. C., Jan. 16.—Six or eight cases of trichinosis, from which one death has already resulted, have been discovered near here.

The physicians in attendance think that they have traced all the cases to one hog, killed before Christmas. They consider it probable that some of the meat was only heated through, instead of being thoroughly cooked, before being eaten, as thorough cooking is believed to invariably kill the trichinae that causes the disease.

Killed by Suffocation.

Wilmington, N. C., Jan. 16.—The two-months-old infant of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar R. King, of this city, was suffocated accidentally Wednesday night by its mother. The child slept with Mrs. King, and yesterday the mother, upon rising, did not attempt to awaken the little one. Later, as the child aparently kept sleeping, she investigated and found the child dead, suffocated under the covers, according to the coroner.

Mrs. Albert Sunderlin who has been quite sick at her home in Queen street, is greatly improved.

STOCKHOLDERS TO RECEIVE HALF

Atlantic Coast in Line With Policy of Unscrambling Eggs.

TO CUT STOCK IN TWO.

Holding Company Loses Control of Atlantic Coast Line and Louisville and Nashville System.

New York, Jan. 16.—The Coast Line, the one privately railroad system of size left country, has started to get line with the unscrambling porations policy of the gov

Henry Walters, chairman of the board and owner of the Atlantic Coast Line Company, of Connecticut, the holding company through which the Walters family has controlled the greatest railroad system of the South, announced that the stock of the holding company was to be cut in two.

In return the stockholders of the holding company are to receive a distribution of something less than half of the stock of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad, now held by the holding company.

The stock of the holding company is cut from $17,640,000 to $8,820,000. The stock of the railroad company to be distributed is $17,640,000 leaving $15,510,400 in the hands of the holding company.

The effect of the change is that the holding company loses control of its subsidiary, the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company, and the Louisville and Nashville system, which is in turn owned by the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company.

The practical effect however, is by no means drastic. Henry Walters, his family and associates, who own the entire capital of the holding company, according to general belief, will henceforth control the stock of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Co. and through it the Louisville and Nashville directly through holding it in their own hands, rather than through the medium of a holding company.

In practical working, the control of the Atlantic Coast Line, Louisville and Nashville system is but little changed. The organizaton of the system which invited attack and dissolution by the government, by reason of extreme concentration, is however, brought more early into fit with the government's idea.

VIRGINIA'S OYSTER OUTPUT.

Value of State's Sea Food Catch in 1913 Was $17,000,000, According to Commission.

Richmond, Va., Jan. 16.—The State Commission of Fisheries held its annual meeting yesterday in this city and considered only routine business. According to the statements made yesterday and in the report of Commissioner Lee, the commission will ask no new legislation this year from the General Assembly. Peace reigns in the oyster country, says the commisioner, and the best policy is to let well enough alone, having established the healthfulness of the oyster beyond the shadow of doubt.

The oyster output last year was the largest in the history of the industry in Virginia. Between 12,000,000, and 13,000,000 bushels were taken from Virginia waters, being the largest output of any state. The value of the product in shell was $6,000,000, and after shucking, $9,000,000.

Virginia again ranks ahead of any other state in the fish output. Menhaden, with a catch valued at $2,000,000, leads in the list of fish, while the catch of shad amounted to 3,700,000 and was worth $1,110,000. Other food fish to the value of $1,880,000 were marketed.

The output of crabs and clams was valued at $2,500,000. Virginia leads in the output of crabs, but is not so successful with clams.

The total value of the State's production of fish, oysters, crabs and clams was $17,000,000.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Interesting News Notes About People of Alexandria—Happenings in Society.

Miss Lillian Hill has been visiting friends in Washington, D. C., this week.

Mrs. Liliam C. Pendelton, of Lauderdale, Va., is the guest of Miss Lisa Anderson, at her home on Prince street.

Dr. W. E. Clement, who has been confined at his home, 816 Prince street, for the past three weeks with the grippe, is now able to get around, and is receiving many congratulations from his large circle of acquaintances.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis N. Duffey were guests at the home of Mrs. W. H. W. Moran, in Manassas recently.

Miss Ruth Watkins was the guest of Miss Evelyn Wenrich, for a short while this week at her home in Manassas.

Miss Annie Macon Potts, of Ashland, Va., is the guest of Congressman and Mrs. Charles C. Carlin, in north Washington street.

Mr. J. W. McAtor is reported as being critically ill at his home, 517 Duke street.

The Fairfax Woman's Co-Operative League held an open meeting at the home of its president, Mrs. F. T. Israel, on Tuesday, from 2 to 5. Guests were present from Alexandria, Vienna and Washington.

Miss Katharine M. Stuart, of Alexandria, a member of the conservation committees of the General and State Federations, made a very entertaining address upon conservation, which was listened to with great interest by the members. Mrs. John Leadbeater, of this city, awoke enthusiasm for the State Federation by her account of the important work the State Federation is doing in reference to the establishment of a Co-ordinate College for women at Charlottesville, for it was the Virginia State Federation of Women's Clubs that started this movement, and Miss Helen Cummings, president of the Cameron Club, of Alexandria, also spoke for a few minutes. Miss Cummings is also a member of committees in State and General Federation work.

A number of the younger boys and girls have organized a junior dancing club which will meet on Friday afternoons. The first dance will be held this afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock in the Elks' Hall.

INCORPORATION OF COUNTY.

Speakers Favor Alexandria County Under Municipal Government.

"Alexandria county is no longer a rural community to be governed by a board of supervisors which meets once a month. It is a thickly settled and largely populated suburb, and should be incorporated as a city government and reap the advantages thereof," declared R. L. C. Moncure, at the mass meeting last night in the Alexandria county Court House.

The business and professional men of the county were unanmous in urging a change in the present government, and a mass meeting was announced for January 29 in the court house, at which definite action is expected on the question of incorporating. All speakers were favorable to the plan of abolishing the present county government and bringing approximately thirty-one square miles of Alexandria county, with about 14,000 inhabitants, under a municipal form of government.

The association adopted a resolution to be sent to the Virginia Legislature urging the passage of a loan shark law identical with that of the District of Columbia. The Utilities Committee reported the Falls Church Telephone Company had acceded to the request to lower the rates of calls in the Falls Church and Rosslyn exchanges from 10 to 5 cents, and the company also promised the committee to urge a similar action by the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company on rates to Washington from the Rosslyn exchange.

Two firemen, John Leonard and Walter Morrill, were killed by a falling wall while fighting flames that destroyed the Bangor, Me., opera house yesterday. Four other firemen were hurt. The property loss was about $100,000. Zero weather and low water pressure seriously impeded the firemen's efforts.

NEW POLLING PLACES

Plans for Convenience of Voters of Alexandria County

In order to make it easier for the average voter to vote five new polling places have been established in Alexandria county and before the next election the registration books will be divided so that each voter will be able to cast his ballot practically without going outside of his own town. The changes in the Washington and Arlington districts, the former having been divided into three and the latter into four voting precincts.

Falls Church precinct, Carne school precinct and Cherrydale precincts comprise the Washington district and Clarendon, Rosslyn, Ballston and Arlington comprise the Arlington district. Jefferson district, adjoining Alexandria, remains under one voting precinct, although voters in that section will probably secure its division into several precincts by preparing the proper petition to Judge J. B. T. Thornton, of the circuit court.

DEATH OF ARTHUR T. KING.

Secretary of Washington Gas Light And Prominent Clubman.

Arthur T. King, chief clerk of the Washington Gas Light Company, died yesterday in Winchester, Va., at the home of his daughter, Mrs. R. Gray Williams, wife of the city solicitor.

Mr. King was born in 1854 in Norfolk, Va. He was graduated from Harvard University. After a few years, he entered the Washington Gas Light Company, where he rose to the position of chief clerk, six years ago. Mr. King had been in failing health for some time, but continued at his duties until a few months ago, when his illness forced him to retire.

RIVER NOTES.

The river is still full of floating ice, which steamers, passing up and down continues on the move. The ice extends almost as far down as Indian Head. The steamers are unable to enter some creeks, but continue to make the outside landings.

The Baltimore steamer which left here yesterday evening did not make a landing at Glymont. Lower river boats, however, made calls at the place.

The steamer Northland, from Norfolk, arrived up on time this morning.

The Bull Line steamer Lewis K. Thurlow, which arrived at this port, a few days ago with phosphate rock for the Alexandria Fertilizer and Chemical Company, left this morning for Tampa, Fla.

ALARM OF FIRE.

Some children playing with matches in a house in Muir's alley, bounded by Columbus, Alfred, Cameron and Queen streets started a fire shortly after ten o'clock this morning, which for a time caused great apprehension among people occupying houses nearby. An alarm was sent in and the department, upon reaching the scene found that neighbors had practically extinguished the flames. A lounge, which was blazing vigorously, was brought out of the house. Other articles in the room were more or less damaged.

UNION SERVICES LAST NIGHT.

Rev. W. J. Morton Occupies Pulpit of Second Presbyterian Church.

Evangelistic services were held last night at the Second Presbyterian Church, conducted by Rev. W. J. Morton, rector of Christ Church, who delivered an interesting discourse on the betrayal of the Saviour by Judas Iscariot.

The services tonight will be held in the M. E. Church South, at 7:30 o'clock.

CIVIL SERVICE.

The civil service commission announces the following examinations to be held in Alexandria on the dates mentioned: stenographer and typewriter, January 27th; negative cutter and lithographic helper, February 2nd; expert and special agent, February 4th; superintendent of industries, February 4th; teacher, Indian service, February 4; research chemist, February 4; assistant teacher, and industrial teacher, March 11th; sub-inspector, navy yard, Norfolk, February 18th; assistant in road economics, February 18th; railway mail clerk, February 21st.

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END OF A LONG CONTEST

Alice McMenamin is Sustained By Court of Appeals in Richmond

After a fight which has lasted for more than five years and which has been tried three times in the Circuit Court of Alexandria and has been to the Supreme Court of Appeals when Mrs. Alice McMenamin has finally won her suit against the Southern Railway Company, and will receive $1,500 as damages to her residence and its contents, a final judgment having been rendered by the Supreme Court yesterday.

Mrs. McMenamin, whose home is at 1316 Duke street, sued the Southern Railway for $7,500 damages which she alleged had been caused by the smoke and dust from the coaling and firing of locomotive engines in the railway yards near her home. A great quantity of furniture and carpets had been destroyed and according to the evidence in the case it was impossible to keep her house in a presentable condition.

The suit was first heard in the Circuit Court and a jury returned a verdict of $2,250 in Mrs. McMenamin's favor. The railway company took an appeal and the Supreme Court reversed the Circuit Court setting the verdict aside.

The following year the suit was tried over again in the Circuit Court but the jury were unable to reach an agreement. On the third trial the jury, under instructions from Judge Thornton, found that the damages which had been incurred by Mrs. McMenamin amounted to $1,500. The attorneys for the R. Ry., company demurred to the evidence on the ground that it had not been shown that the coal shute from which the engines were coaled and where they arose was the property of the Southern Railway Company. Judge Thornton, after hearing the arguments on the demurrer sustained it and set the verdict aside. The Supreme Court yesterday reversed Judge Thornton's decision, thus bringing to an end a suit of many angles.

Mrs. McMenamin was represented by Judge J. K. M. Norton and the Southern Railway by Col. Francis L. Smith and R. B. Tunstall, of Norfolk.

WILL HONOR VETERAN DRIVER

Henry S. Posey to Receive Testimonials From Columbia Tonight.

Henry S. Posey, driver of the Columbia steam fire engine, assumed the duties of that position forty years ago today. He is the third driver of the Columbia engine since the organization of the company in 1871, the first having been Alpheus Brown and the second Ferdinand Travers, both deceased.

During the two-score years Mr. Posey has been driver no charge of any nature has been urged against him, he being faithful in every detail of duty, and he has enjoyed the confidence and respect of all with whom he has come in contact.

A meeting of the Columbia Company will be held tonight, at which time William A. Smoot, president of the organization, will, on behalf of the members of the company present Mr. Posey with a full dress uniform, also a life-size crayon portrait of the veteran driver in full uniform. In addition to these testimonials Mr. Posey will receive reminders from individual members of the company.

A lunch will be furnished at the close of the meeting when impromptu speeches will be made. President Smoot will act as toastmaster.

FRISKEE JUBILEE SINGERS.

The Alexandria Free Kindergarten Association wishes to announce that they have secured the services of the famous "Friskee Jubilee Singers," for an entertainment on the evening of Friday, February 13th, at the Westminister Building Admision forty nine cents. It is a great bargain.

PROPERTY SALES.

Ellen Frazier has sold to William E. Hamersley, a house and lot at the southwest corner of Queen and Payne streets.

H. L. Strider has sold to R. W. Ballenger, a house and lot on the south side of Queen street, between Royal and Pitt.

POLICE COURT NOTES.

There were no cases for trial in the Police Court this morning. The officers on duty during the night report the city as having been quiet.

Officer Roberts, yesterday arrested a youth named Roy Wise, who it is alleged, ran away from the Industrial School in Washington. He will be turned over to officials of that institution.

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NEWS OF THE OLD DOMINION

GAMBLING BILL IN HOUSE.

Measure Was Defeated in 1912—Introduced by Stephenson, of Bath.

Richmond, Jan. 16.—Another bill was launched at gambling yesterday morning when John W. Stephenson, of Bath, offered again the measure which the House rejected in 1912.

The bill is particularly aimed at horse racing and poker.

Following is the text of the bill:

"Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia. That it shall be unlawful for any person to bet, wager or play at any game for money.

"Anyone violating the provisions of this act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and, upon conviction thereof, shall be fined not exceeding $1,000 and imprisoned in jail not exceeding one year, either or both.

"The Circuit Court and justices of the peace shall have concurrent jurisdiction in the trial of all cases under this act, and the accused shall have the right to appeal from the decision of the justice to the circuit court."

MISS VIRGINIA W. MEADE WEDS

Becomes the Bride of John F. Noyes, of Charleston, W. Va.

Warrenton, Va., Jan. 16.—Miss Virginia Washington Meade was married Wednesday to John Franklin Noyes, of Charleston, W. Va. The wedding was celebrated at Glen Bolton, the home of the bride's uncle, Drayton Hill Meade, in Fauquier county.

The bride is a daughter of the late D. Randolph Meade, of Berryville, Va. Miss Evelyn Randolph Meade, of Washington, was maid of honor, John R. Crown, of Washington, was best man. Drayton Hill Meade gave the bride away.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. J. Norwood, rector of Grace Protestant Episcopal Church of the Plains.

FOR VIRGINIA SOIL SURVEY.

Southern Development Congress Begins Speaking Tour.

Charlottesville, Va., Jan. 16.—W. J. Manss, vice-president and general manager, and Dr. C. G. Hopkins, director of agriculture, of the Southern Settlement and Development Congress, began here yesterday a series of speaking trips through Virginia counties in the interest of the settlement and development of the state. Prof. William B. Alwood presided and there was a large attendance of farmers and merchants. Frank M. Bunch, state manager of the organization, also spoke.

Resolutions were adopted urging the Legislature to make provision for a soil survey of the State for the purpose of classifying the arable land. The establishment of experimental stations in various parts of the State is also urged.

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COURT OF APPEALS.

Opinions Handed Down by That Tribunal Yesterday.

Richmond, Va., Jan. 16.—Opinions in a number of Norfolk cases were handed down by the Supreme Court yesterday. The list of decisions follows:

By James Keith, president:

Newton, surviving executor, vs. White, who sues, etc., Court of Law and Chancery of Norfolk; judgment affirmed.

Craig vs. Craig, Law and Equity Court of Richmond; decree affirmed and remanded.

Bowles' Administrator vs. Virginia Soapstone Co., Circuit Court of Nelson county; judgment affirmed.

John Diebold and Sons Stone Co., Inc., Vs. Tatterson, executrix, et als., Circuit Court of Norfolk; decree reversed.

Lewis vs. Commonwealth. Circuit Court of Norfolk County; judgment reversed.

Watson et als. vs. Gordon, et als., Court of Law and Chancery of Norfolk; decree reversed.

By Judge R. H. Cardwell:

Wilkes' Administrator vs. Wilkes et als.; Corporation Court of Staunton. Decree affirmed.

By Judge John A. Buchanan:

Hadon vs. Falls et als., Circuit Court of Campbell county; decree affirmed.

Metropolitan Life Insurance Co., vs. O'Grady. Law and Equity Court of Richmond; judgment affirmed.

Commonwealth vs. Lynchburg Y. M. C. A., Corporation Court of Lynchburg; judgment affirmed.

Lanston Monotype Machine Co., vs. Times-Dispatch Company, Law and Equity Court of Richmond; decree affirmed.

Cannon vs. Bates, Law and Equity Court of Richmond; judgment reversed.

McMenamin vs. Southern Railway Company, Circuit Court of Alexandria; judgment reversed.

By Judge George M. Harrison:

Peek vs. City of Hampton, Circuit Court of Elizabeth City County; judgment affirmed.

Shenandoah Lime Co., et als. vs. Governor of Virginia, et als. Circuit Court of Richmond; decree affirmed.

Mutual Life Insurance Co., of New York vs. Board, Armstrong and Co. Corporation, Circuit Court of Alexandria; judgment affirmed.

Mutual Life Insurance Co., of New York, vs. Board Motor Truck Co., Corporation, Circuit Court of Alexandria; judgment affirmed.

Commonwealth ex rel. Dowden vs. Richmond and Rappahannock River Ry., Co., et al. State Corporation Commission order affirmed.

Hawkins vs. Chapin, Circuit Court of Loudoun County; judgment reversed.

Southern Railway Co., vs. Grubbs, Circuit Court of Campbell county; judgment reversed.

By Judge Stafford G. Whittle:

Phillip Levy & Co., vs. Lavis, Court of Law and Chancery of Norfolk; judgment affirmed.

Eichelberger vs. Mann, Circuit Court of Chesterfield county; judgment affirmed.

Reichenstein vs. Virginia Railway and Power Co., Court of Law and Chancery of Norfolk; judgment affirmed.

The Buchanan Co., vs. Heirs of Smyth and Banks, et als. Circuit Court of Washington county; decree affirmed.

Gayle and Eason vs. Commonwealth, Circuit Court of Suffolk; judgment reversed.

Lemons vs. Harris et al., Circuit Court of York county; judgment reversed.

Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Co., vs. Schwartz.

Circuit Court of Clifton Forge, rehearing refused.

Opinion of Judge Whittle: Gents' Executrix vs. Brumbaugh Administrator, Circut Court of Rusell county; rehearing refused.

DIED FROM INJURIES.

A. W. Thompson, Indicted for Death of J. W. Rainey, is Killed in Accident.

Richmond, Jan. 16.—A. W. Thompson, coal and wood dealer, twenty-five years old, of Meadow Bridge Road, Highland Park, will not stand trial for the murder of J. W. Rainey, also a dealer in wood and coal, who resided at 816 Graham street, Battery Court. Death yesterday came between him and the law, making it impossible for him to answer at the bar of earthly justice.

Thompson died soon after 10 o'clock yesterday morning at Memorial Hospital from the effects of injuries sustained yesterday when he was struck by a northbound Seaboard Air Line train.

WOMAN FATALLY BURNED.

Playing With Her Baby in Front of Stove Mother's Clothing Ignites.

Norfolk, Va., Jan. 16.—Mrs. Shirlie Esther Hurdle Briggs, wife of Clyde W. Briggs, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Hurdle, was fatally burned a few days ago at 10 o'clock at the home of her parents, Level Green farm, Princess Anne county, and died in the afternoon at 6 o'clock after every effort had been exhausted to save her life.

Mrs. Briggs was fondling her four-months-old baby in its carriage while standing with her back to a wood heater, when her clothing became ignited, from the stove. Before realizing her plight, her clothing had burned nearly to her waist. She ran from the house into the high wind that was blowing at the time and was quickly enveloped into flames. All of her clothing was burned from her body.

A colored man on the place, who was pumping water for the stock, threw water on Mrs. Briggs, but not in time to prevent the fatal results. Her mother, Mrs. Hurdle, was also painfully burned about the hands in her effort to tear the clothing from her daughter's body.

Judge Reuben M. Page Dead.

Bristol, Va.-Tenn., Jan. 16.—Judge Reuben Murrell Page, aged 70, died Wednesday night at Abingdon, Va. He was the first judge of Washington county following the re-construction era and served 10 years, beginning in 1870. He was a Confederate cavalryman in the civil war, entering as a member of the Washington county Rifle men in 1861. He was wounded in the battle near Stephen City, Frederick county. He was Grand Master of Virginia Masons from 1881 to 1883.

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Children's $3.50 Coats. Remnant price $1.98
Children's $3.98 Coats. Remnant price $2.25
Ladies' $1..00 Long Kimonos. Remnant price 75c
Ladies' $1.50 Long Kimonos. Remnant price 98c
Ladies' $1.98 Long Kimonos. Remnant price $1.39
Six ladies $3.00 Nemo Corsets. Remnant price pair $1.98
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CHAMBERLAIN'S RETIREMENT.

Although Joseph Chamberlain has been practically dead in politics for nine years, the formal announcement that he will retire from parliament at the next general electon will be read with regret by those who have followed the career of the brilliant English statesman. Chamberlain's inconsistency as a politician was overshadowed by his prowess as a fighter. It will be difficult to find a leader in any country who has gained and preserved so great reputation and so loyal a following, though every moment he led ended in failure.

At the outset of his political career he was a Radical and served under a Gandstone in several Cabinets. He became a Unionist when the Liberal party split on Irish Home Rule and was Colonial Secretary at the time of the Boer war.

It probably is more than a coincidence that at the moment his retirement is announced as he approaches his seventy-ninth year the protectionist policy to which he tied the Tories is in process of being quietly buried.

Ever since his original attack of illness, more than nine years ago, Mr. Chamberlain has been unable to do any mental work, and the authenticity of the political pronouncements that have been published in his name since then has been greatly doubted.

Everywhere the splendid devotion of Joseph Chamberlain's American wife to her stricken husband—whose side she never leaves—is held up to unstinted admiraton. She was Miss Mary Endicott, daughter of William C. Endicott of Massachusetts, (who was secretary of war in President Cleveland's first Cabinet, 1885 to 1889) and she became Mr. Chamberlain's third wife in 1888.

ILLITERACY IN VIRGINIA.

Alexandria city and county, and in fact all of the counties of the eighth congressional district, show good records in the percentage of illiteracy in Virginia which has just been made public in a bulletin of the United States census. The total number of persons, in the state, 10 years of age and over, is 1,536,297, of which number 232,911 or 15.2 per cent are classed as illiterate.

The Gazette has previously called attention to the fact that the illiterates in Virginia are largely made up old colored people who have never had be benefit of schooling.

Among the cities, Clifton Forge, has the lowest per centage 4.4. Newport News comes next with 5.2; and Alexandria has 6.6. Danville has a larger per centage than any other city—16.9.

Among the counties Alexandria county has 6.8 and Fairfax county 8.

The counties with 20 percentage and over are the following: Amelia, 24.3; Amherst, 20.4; Brunswick, 20.6; Buchanan, 34.2; Buckingham, 21.8; Caroline, 23.7; Charles City, 26.2; Charlotte, 21.2; Cumberland, 24.5; Franklin, 21.2; Gloucester, 20.4; Goochland, 23; Greene, 30.8. Greeneville, 25.1; Halifax, 22.2; Henry, 21.8; Isle of Wight, 25.9; James City, 20; King & Queen, 22; King George, 20; Lancaster, 24.2; Lee, 20.4; Madison, 20.4; Mecklenburg, 20.2; Nansemond, 25.4; Mecklenburg, 20.2; Nansemond, 25.4; New Kent, 23.3; Patrick, 81.1; Pittsylvania, 23.8; Powhatan, 20.3; Prince George, 22.1; Princess Anne 21.1; Rappahannock, 22.5; Richmond, county, 30.9; Southampton, 28.1; Surry, 22.1; Sussex, 25; Warwick, 25.4; Westmoreland, 22.5.

BURNED TO DEATH.

Mrs. W. F. Lay Dies While Two Infant Children Look On.

Richmond, Va., Jan. 16.—While her two infant children looked on and cried pitifully, Mrs. W. F. Lay, formerly Miss Catherine Luck, of South Richmond, was burned to death yesterday as the result of an oil stove explosion in her late residence in Knoxville, Tenn. Mrs. W. F. Lamb, of 517 West 7th street, was an aunt of the victim, and news of her tragic death was conveyed to her yesterday afternoon by telegram.

Mrs. Lay, who had just passed her twentieth birthday, was in the act of lighting the stove when it suddenly exploded, saturating her body with oil and causing her clothing to catch on fire. Despite her cries for aid, the explosion had resulted in a fatality before any of her neighbors could reach her.

Mrs. Lay made her home on the Southside until two years ago, when she was married to the Tennesseean. She is well known throughout South Richmond and her death will be universally regretted.

VACANCIES ON BENCH.

Supporters of Aspirants Actively Work Among Solons.

Richmond, Va., Jan. 16. So far there are eleven known and avowed candidates for the one vacancy on the Supreme Court bench to succeed Judge Buchanana, of Washington county, who has announced he will not offer again.

Well-known lawyers in the several sections of Virginia are entered in the contest, and there is no lack of supporters of the aspirants who are in the city actively at work. The full list of candidates are as follows:

J. W. Chinn, Jr., of Richmond county.
Judge Joseph L. Kelly, of Bristol.
Judge Jesse F. West, of Sussex
Judge Walter R. Staples, of Roanoke.
Judge B. F. Hutton, of Bristol.
Judge W. E. Burns, of Russell.
Richard B. Davis, of Petersburg
E. M. Fulton, of Grayson.
Judge F. W. Sims, of Louisa.
Judge R. R. Prentis, of Norfolk.
Judge T. W. Harrison, of Winchester.

Up to this time no date has been fixed for holding a joint caucus to make nominations, but the belief is that this will be done during the coming week.

FATAL ACCIDENT TO BOY.

Dies After Mother is Severly Burned Extinguishing Fire.

Barboursville, Va., Jan. 16.—Mrs. John Barbour, a greatly beloved woman who lives near Free Union, Albemarle county, was severely burned Tuesday evening in making a vain effort to save the life of her little son, Earle Barber, whose clothing had caught fire from a wood heater.

The little boy's screams attracted the attention of the mother and neighbors. The child had inhaled the flames before his mother reached him. He died within six hours after being burned.

Mrs. Barber is suffering from burns on her hands ad anms.

FIND $12,300 LOOT IN CROCK.

Express Clerk's Brother's Home Yields up Plunder.

Connellsville, Pa., Jan 16.—More than $12,000 of the $13,000 stolen by Ralph Wiant, a clerk of the United States Express Company here, last Monday night, was found today in a crock partly filled with flour in the home of Fred. B. Wiant, a brother.

Three tons of coal were examined. A crock, containing flour, was overturned and $12,300 of the stolen money rolled on the floor. Wiant then admitted that his brother had called on him Tuesday morning and requested him to hide the money.

Confederate Dead.

Gulfport, Miss. Jan. 16.—Thomas E. Goode. aged 67, a telegraph operator in the Confederate service is dead here of pneumonia. He was a member of prominent families in Alabama and Virginia.

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8:47 A. M.—Daily—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations. Buffet parlor car.

9:07 A. M.—Daily—U. S. Fast Mail stops only for passengers to points south to which scheduled to stop. First class coaches; Sleeping cars to Birmingham and New Orleans. Dining car service. Stops at Calverton to let off Warrenton branch passengers.

11:17 A. M.—Daily—Mail train, coaches for Manassas, Warrenton, Charlottesville, Lynchburg, Danville and Greensboro. Sleeping cars from Greensboro to Atlanta.

4:22 P. M.—Week day—limited for Warrenton, Charlottesville and Harrisonburg.

4.52 P. M., Daily — Birmingham Special. Sleeping cars between New York, Atlanta, Columbus, Anniston, Birmingham. Through first class coaches between Washington, Atlanta, and Birmingham, Dining car service. Tourist to California six times weekly.

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ALBERT WHITWORTH.
12 t. d. Secretary.

Stockholder's Meeting.

Pursuant to the call of the holders of at least one-tenth of its capital stock a meeting of the stockholders of the Mount Vernon Stables., Inc., will be held at the office of H. Noel Garner, 128 South Royal street, Alexandria, Virginia, Monday, January 26, 1914, at 11 o'clock A. M., for the election of a Board of Directors, and for the transaction of such other busines sas may properly come before the meeting.

R. A. GARRETT,
12 td. Secretary.

Stockholder's Meeting.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the District of Columbia Paper Mfg. Co., Incorporated, will be held at the office of the company, No. 111 S. Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., on Monday, January 19, 1914, from 12 o'clock noon to 1 P.M., for the election of directors,and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

G. L. NICHOLSON,
5 t d President.

Stockholder's Meeting.

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8 t d T. C. DULIN, Secty.

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1 a w 3 w G. A.BONNET, Secretary.

Stockholder's Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the W. T. Walker Brick Co., will be held Wednesday, January 21, 1914, at 11 o'clock A. M., at the office of the company, Arlington, Va., for the purpose of electing a president, directors and the transaction of other business.

By order of Wm. H. Walker, prest.
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The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Chesapeake Blaugas Corporation will be held at rooms 1 and 2, Alexandria National Bank Building, on Thursday, January 15, 1914, at 3 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business of the corporation as may be brought before the meeting.

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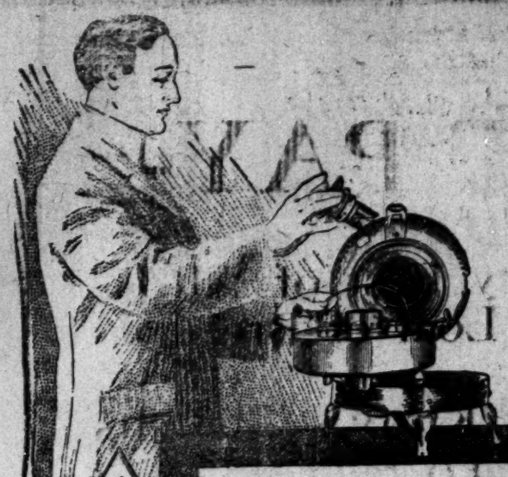

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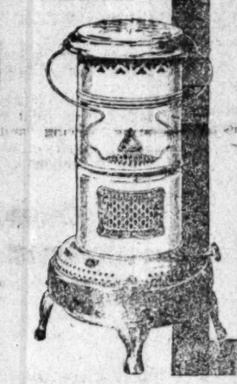

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It seems as if any one at the inn had just one drop of Christianity blood in their veins would cheerfully give their bed and just to think of being cold weather and to show how poor, they were worth as much in Egypt as they were home. I will say, Christ was a genuine union man because he said if a kingdom divided against itself it would not stand. Christ meant union love for the fellowman. Not a carpenter union as Mr. Morrison speak of for it is plain enough for any one, that he come to set man at variance with his father. Father against son, mother against daughter, and daughter and mother-in-law against daughter-in-law and to plainly show. A soldier went to him and said: Master what shall I do to inherit eternal life. The good masters answer was: "Be contented in your wager." Now the question is does that word soldier mean military man, or does it apply to all of us. I say that applys to all men. We are all soldiers constant on guard. Christ also told his chosen 12 they were the salt of the earth and if the earth had lost its salt, it is thereforth good for nothing, only to be cast out at the end and trodden under foot of men. These present ministers are today walking in the disciples shoe. No where they are doing the disciples part is the? Are they the many that would come? And deceive many if it were possible the very elect. Has one of them ever stepped in or interferred with the present conditions of the country, or at least uttered a word. I believe that God holds the present ministers of the gospel, for men running away with the country as he held Aaron the priest, responsible for the rebellion of the children of Israel. Or is there any love or harmony taught by the unions, and when we go to the very bottom we can plainly see that men has completely left God and their whole worship is money. There is some who has laid up millions on top of billions in store for the next fifty generations to come, and many starve to death. Also a Publican went to the good master and said: "Master what shall I do to inherit eternal life." The good master said: Except no more than justly due you. At this age men does not know how much is due them, and the poor never was so oppressed since the birth of John the Baptist then of today. We have been left alone so long without a boss, that nearly the whole world has become infidel, or mammon heathen. When we open our Bible we read where most important we think, we come to the place where God handed down all laws to Moses and the laws were beautiful and plain and pure and it seems plain after these laws had been carried from generation to generation. They become what I should call wrent, not saying that man ever changed, but the law changed. We continue reading until we come to the Samaritan that didn't believe in the or the way that men taught or executed them. They were awaiting whole on the one to come that would show them the true worshipful, and the Christ did come and did find all manner of filthy unrighteousness and the poor oppressed mightly by the main ones that should handle truth righteously, and Christ did teach and demonstrate how men fought against right, and even showed that one out of twelve would do any thing for money, even sacrifice the life of the best man that ever trodden the earth for a hand full of silver, and after he taught many and demonstrated how the real God man could heal all kinds of diseases, and he even said the one that would believe on him would do the same works he done, and even greater works than those will be done. Now after these wonderful works had been carried on for three hundred years, and according to the scripture was lost. It was taken away from men because they would not do the will of God. Christ even told his disciples what they should wear and what they should eat, and also beware of the ones come in long gowns. He also mention lewd Extortion Excess, and after this all men has drifted back to the same filthy unrighteousness. My entire study has been to see if there were anything in the scripture concerning us or this day for Christ said Daniel the prophet word had to be fulfilled before end of time. He also said except the Lord hath shortened those days, no flesh should be saved. But for the elects sake whom he has chosen, he has shortened the day. But woe to them that are rich for they have their consolation. But woe to them that are with a child, and give Such in those days. Could any one describe the churches of the anti-Christs, any plainer then St. Paul described them as old wives, we read that they were prophets and up to the time Jesus came and none after him. And the scripture shows that there were not many who could read his prophesy until after he come, then every one could read them for he fulfilled most of them on the cross. Most is what bother me is to tell what brought us nearly 2,000 years, and when we look down to the very bottom we see there is over one hundred and fifty christians denominations. They all use the same Bible and worship the same God, but yet they differ as to what the Bible teaches. They differ as to doctrines, ordinances and modes of worship. In some cases the difference are of such a character that if some are right others must be wrong. By thus multiplying creeds mankind has not arrived at absolute truth or been delivered from evil. And I continue reading the Bible until I came to a place in Book Amos that fully describes this present time. God says I shall send a famine in the land, not a famine of bread, nor a famine of drink, but a famine of hearing the words of the Lord and the way the scripture reads it will be a very long time, and at the end of the famine a fair Virgin will appear, and at the time she appears there will be gambling in the high cost of living, and the poor will be oppressed mightly and it also speakes of a sword, all the sins of my people shall die by the sword. The Lord hast sworn by the excellency of Jacob. Surely I will never forget any of their works. God says I shall cause the sun to go down at noon and the end there of a bitter day then shall the whole world rise up holy like a flood. At this day what does men care for rebuke. The man that makes most money is the popular man, and in many cases it does not make much difference how they make it so they get it. It is always the darkest just before the dawn, I shall tell what I have seen in my study of the Bible, there is no other book that I am so interested as the Bible when I found in Amos it rested so hard on my mind a vision appeared twice to me in one night, a picture on the wall and the words. "You are right concerning this famine in that day will I raise up the tabernacle of David that is fallen and close up the cracks thereof and I will raise up his ruins and I will build it as in the days of O. L. D. This fair Virgin has appeared, and gambling in the high cost of living is here, and I can see the point of the sword. Now if any one can prove to me that this famine has been other times than since Jesus I will listen to him.

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Woe unto you when men shall speak well of now for so did their fathers speak well of the false prophets.

And again, you shall be hated by all men for my name sake I shall call the readers attention to Acts V. Now wouldn't it be a God's blessing to have a minister to do the same as St. Peter was given power to kill a man and his wife with the word of God or truth. No man cannot dispute that this man had laid up big piles of money. Like the trusts in this day if God said this sword shall come, it will come, and if God says the sword will not come, it will not come. There seems plain that a wrong presept taken of this life, in reality. God's house is used for a gambling den. I pray for them to unite in brotherly love and join hand in hand. and I pray for them to turn from their money greed and turn to God's Jonah III 9th verse. I also pray for Mr. Morrison to throw down the hatchet he has in his hand, for I can see nothing union, for the more people organize the higher food stuffs raises. I pray for all men to unite in love and live this life as the good master taught our forefathers which they have not walked. If a man wants to receive a big gob of silver, mingled with tobacco juice, tell a man he belongs to an opposite denomination than he does.

If Mr. Morrison wants us all to use the Bible in his works he will find more against him than he will find in his favor. I call Mr. Morrison's attention to Gen. XLIX and particular to verse 3. I think every reformation should begin at the beginning.

Now if any one wants to test me or my works, do not spend the time disturbing me at my work. Compare my work with the resent conditions of the country and they will find that it is unnecessary to send missionaries to other lands. This work appears to me like a farmer having seven hundred acres of land, and seven sons, and the sons said they were going elsewhere to work.

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At a Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria continued and held at the Court House of said City on Monday, December 29, 1913.

Present, Hon. Louis C. Barley, Judge.

James A. Tichenor, Complainant.
Vs. In Chancery.
Beatrice Tichenor, Respondent.

Upon the application of the complainant stating specifically the last known place of abode of the respondent the court on this 29th day of December, 1913,doth grant the following order of publication:

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii for the complainant against the respondent because of wilful desertion and abandonment on the part of the respondent for more than three years next preceeding the filing of this suit and for general relief.

And an affidavit having been filed that the respondent Beatrice Tichenor is not a resident of the State of Virginia ,it is ordered that she do appear within fifteen days after due publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect her interests in this suit.

And it is further ordered that a copy of this order of publication be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, that a copy hereof be posted at the front door of the Court House of the said city on or before the next rule day of this court after this order is entered and that a copy of said order of publication shall be sent by registered mail by the clerk of this court addressed to the said non-resident respondent, Beatrice Tichenor, addressed to No. 820 12th St. Northwest, Washington, District of Columbia, the last known place of abode of the respondent.

A Copy—Teste:
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.
David Woolf and F. L. Ball p. q.

At a Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, held Monday, January 5th, 1914. Present, Hon. J. B. T. Thornton, Judge.

George A Pride, Complainant.
Vs.
Jennie V. Pride, Respondent.
In Chancery.

Upon the application of the complainant now duly made and filed in accordance with the statute, together with the affidavit made by the complainant of defendant's non-residence said affidavit stating the defendant's last known place of residence and abode in the city of Philadelphia, state of Pennsylvania, at No. 1715 Chadwick street, the Court on this 5th day of January, 1914, it appearing to the court from the said affidavit; the Sergeants return of process showing that the defendants is not within the jurisdiction of the State of Virginia, and the evidence that the defendant is a non-resident of this State and not within the jurisdiction of the State of Virginia, and that her last known place of residence and abode was 1715 Chadwick Street, in the city of Philadelphia, state of Pennsylvania, the Court doth grant the following order of publication:

The object of this suit is for complainant to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii from the defendant upon the ground of desertion, and it is ordered that said defendant do appear here within fifteen days after due publicaton of said order of publication and do what is necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

And it is further ordered that a copy of said order of publication be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, and that a copy be posted at the front door of the Court House of said city on or before the next succeeding rule day after this order is entered. That the last known place of defendant's abode being 1715 Chadwick St. Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, the Clerk is directed to mail a copy of said publication addressed to said Jennie V. Pride, at No. 1715 Chadwick street, Philadelphia, Pa., the same to be by registered mail, and the Clerk shall certify to the court that said copy has been so mailed.

A Copy: Teste—
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
Clerk,
J. C. De Putron, p. q.

At a Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria continued and held at the Court House of said city on Wednesday, December 3rd, 1913. Present, Hon. Louis C. Barley, Judge.

William R. Woodward,
Vs. In Chancery.
Helen S. Woodward.

Upon the application of the complainant, stating specifically the last known place of abode of the defendant the Court on this 3rd day of December, 1913, doth grant the following order of publication:

The object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant a divorce from the bond of matrimony from the defendant, on the ground of desertion and abandonment for a period of more than three years before the bringing of this suit and for general relief.

An an affidavit having been filed that the defendant, Helen S. Woodward, is not a resident of the said State of Virginia, it is ordered that she do appear here within fifteen days after due publication and do what is necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

And it is further ordered that a copy of said order of publication be published once a week for four successive weeks in Alexandria Gazette a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, Virginia; that a copy be posted at the front door of the Court House of said City on or before the next succeeding rule day after this order is entered, and that a copy of said order of publication shall be sent by registered mail by the clerk of this court addressed to the said non-resident defendant, Helen S. Woodward, at Sabinal, Uvale county, Texas, her last known place of abode; also a copy be sent by registered mail by the clerk of this court addressed to Mrs. Kay Alexander, (under which name the said defendant is now living), addressed to her at Sabinal, Uvale County, Texas, her last known place of abode.

A Copy:—Teste:
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.
Samuel P. Fisher, p. q.

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 22nd day of December, 1913.

William F. Jones, Complainant.
Vs.
Samuel Haney, Leonard Jones, now 21 years of age, Eddie Washington, Samuel G. Brent trustee, and C. C. Carlin, beneficiary, George Payne, or Henry, Queenie Washington, Dellie Bell, Frank Wanzer, Nellie Beckham, Sarah Hickerson and Mary Wanzer, Defendants.
IN CHANCERY.

Memo:

The object of this suit is to sell the premises of which Julia Haney Jones and Mary Ball, died (intestate) seized and possessed, situated on the north side of Franklin street between Lee and Union streets, in the City of Alexandria, Va., fronting 29 feet on Franklin street, and running back northward 88 feet 3 1-2 inches to a 5 foot alley; for the purpose of partition; and for complainant to obtain therefrom his commuted courtesy and for recovery of money spent by him and labor in erecting house thereon; and for holding defendant, Eddie Washington liable for rent therefor for counsel fees; and for the payment of liens ;and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendants Samuel Haney, George Payne or Henry, Frank Wanzer, Nellie Beckham, Sarah Hickerson and Mary Wanzer are non-residents of this State:

It is Ordered, That the said defendants appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interest in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this City.

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Robinson Moncure, p. q. Clerk.

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At a Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, continued and held at the Courthouse of said city, on Monday, December 22nd, 1913.

Present. Hon. Louis C. Barley, Judge.

Charles Blanding,
Vs. In Chancery.
Mary Blanding.

Upon the application of the complainant stating specifically the last known place of residence of the defendant, the Court on this 22nd day of December, 1913, doth grant the following order of publication:

The object of this suit is to obtain an obsolute divorce by the said Charles Blanding from Mary Blanding on the ground of adultery and for general relief.

An affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Mary Blanding, is not a resident of this State and that she has not been found within the jurisdiction of this state, that process has been returned not executed by the City Sergeant it is ordered that she do appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

And it is further ordered that a copy of said order of publication be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Alexandria Gazette a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, Va., that a copy be posted at the front door of the Court House of the said city on or before the next succeeding rule day after this order is entered, and that a copy of said order of publication shall be sent by registered mail by the Clerk of this Court addressed to the said Mary Blanding, the said non-resident defendant at the City Jail, Bridgeton, New Jersey, her last known place of abode.

A Copy:Teste—
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.
Samuel G. Brent, p. q.

PROPOSALS FOR SUPPLIES.

Sealed proposals for furnishing the State Normal and Industrial School for Women at Fredericksburg, Va., for the quarter beginning February 10th 1914, and ending May 10th, 1914, will be received at the office of the president of the school until 6 P. M., January 31st, 1914.

In addition to the usual quarterly supplies, such as groceries, etc., bids are requested on fresh meats. Contract for this item will be awarded for three or twelve months at the discretion of the school. All supplies to be delivered at the school free of charge, and at such times and in such quantities as the president may from time to time direct.

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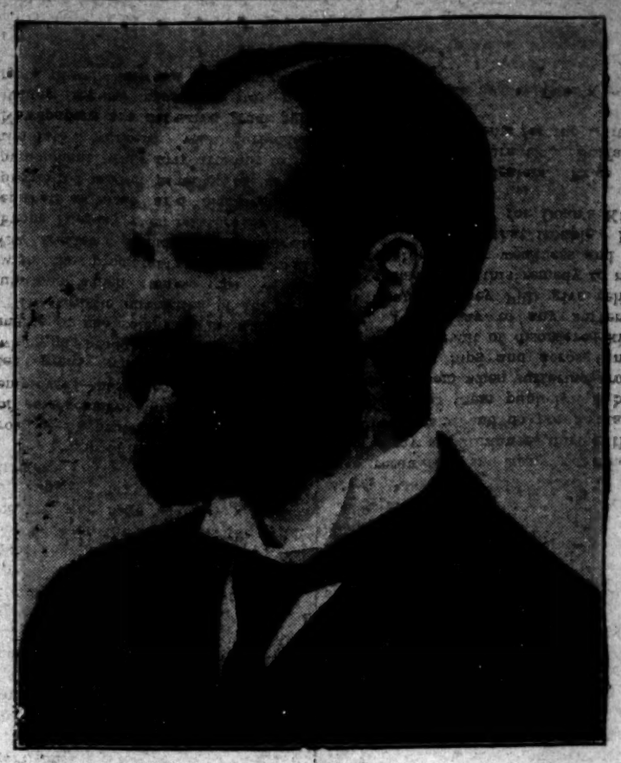

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POLICE PUT TO ROUT.

Strike Leader and Comrade Barricaded in Hall Baffle Attempts To Reach Them.

Johannesburg, Union South Africa, Jan. 16.—Secretary Bain, of the Federation of Trades, and a band of irreconciliable comrades have entrenched themselves in the Trades Hall here and defy the police to arrest them. Barricades of furniture, boxes and liquor casks block all the approaches and baffle all the attempts of the police to reach those within.

A detachment of 30 policemen, who tried to raid the hall yesterday morning in order to arrest Secretary Bain, was driven back by a hail of missiles from behind the ramparts.

The entire area surrounding the hall has been cleared in order to prevent supplies from reaching the garrison.

Tension is increasing here and an early collision between the strikers and the police appears inevitable.

Cape Town, Union of South Africa, Jan. 15.—The proclamation of martial law throughout the Union of South Africa, in response to the declaration of a general strike by the Federation of Trades, is regarded as making the issue a clear one between the state and the syndicatists, who have adopted a system of rapidly organized sympathetic strikes.

The origin of the dispute—the railroad men's protest against the policy of retrenchment introduced by their employers—has been lost sight of in teh great sympathetic fight, which has brought the trade and commerce of the colony to a standstill.

The drastic character of the regulations which came into effect with the proclamation of martial law created considerable surprise. From Tuesday evening the use of epithets as "scab" and "blackleg" was prohibited under penalty of severe punishment, while any attempt to intimidate workers was forbidden. Newspapers are debarred from publishing reports calculated to promote ill-will between the disputants.

The strike region is divided into nine areas, each controlled by an officer vested with the absolute power as in time of war.

DESCRIBES TRUNK MURDER.

Woman Says Man Was Killed With Poisoned Beer.

New York, Jan. 16.—The murder of Ivan Martysewicz, whose body, crammed in a trunk, was left in the street by two pushcart men on December 29, was described yesterday by Stefania Kivlatkowska, a young Polish woman, one of the six persons under arrest in connection with the crime.

She said that two of the men now in prison killed Martysewicz with a drink of poisoned beer.

The murderers, she added, lured their victim to a house where she was an inmate with a promise of work as a stable helper. They suggested that he celebrate his good fortune by buying a drink and when he consented set before him a glass that had been drugged.

The motive was robbery, she said, but all the murderers obtained was a cheap watch and $2 in money.

CHARLES H. MOYER INDICTED

President And 37 Other Union Officials Charged With Conspiracy.

Houghton, Mich., Jan. 16.—Charles H. Moyer, president of the Western Federation of Miners, and 37 other officials and members of the organization were indicted yesterday on charges of conspiracy in connection with the copper miners' strike.

The true bill was so worded that the allegations against the men constitute a misdemeanor. Several other true bills were returned, but because they charged felonies Judge P. H. O'Brien ordered the documents sealed until the men named in them have been arrested.

Warrants were prepared for the 38 union men accused of conspiracy and deputy sheriffs scurried over the county late today serving them. More than a dozen individuals had been arrested last night, and Circuit Court Commissioners in Houghton and Calumet were kept busy approving bonds of $1,000 under which many of the prisoners were released.

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